

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

N. J. Urban League
58 W. Market St.
Newark, N.J.

September 20, 1932

The postponed meeting of the Executive Committee of New Jersey Urban League was held on the above date at 58 West Market Street, the President in the Chair. Those present: Mr. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Bannwart, Mrs. Bell, Dr. Bell, Rev. Garner, Dr. Parks, Mr. Powell, Mr. Russ, Dr. Vail, Dr. Wolfe. The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Garner.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Jones's report covered the period from June 1st to August 31st. A survey of 845 families had been made in the third ward, showing the size of these families, and the conditions under which they live. Mr. Jones further stated that the Standard Oil Company did not consider permanent its placing of Negroes in charge of filling stations. The Orange Business Men's League has gone into permanent organization. On motion of Dr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Bannwart this report was read and placed on file.

Treasurer's report of September 1st showed a bank balance of \$40.70
Obligations.....1,038.43
Drift Account.....203.94

Furnace repairs have been estimated at \$340.00. Motion by Mr. Bannwart, seconded by Mr. Garner that the work be done.

In Mr. Puryear's report he stated that there had been 309 applications for transportation, 183 of which had been honored. Mr. Puryear's report contained several recommendations, among them the following: (1) That there be a relief committee; (2) That there be a house secretary, family court worker; (3) That provision be made to take care of homeless colored women in the Phyllis Wheatley Home.

Two books were called to the attention of the Board: American Minority Peoples by Donald Young and Social Administration by Elwood Street.

After some discussion as to ways and means of securing a worker, motion was made by Mr. Garner, seconded by Dr. Wolfe that the committee go on record as approving Mr. Puryear's employing a worker such as he had described in his report, the

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employment being contingent upon receiving funds and making contract. Motion carried. Motion by Mrs. Bannwart, seconded Mr. Garner that the question of funds be left to the discretion of the President, Treasurer, and Executive Secretary. Motion carried.

Adjournment.

Mr. Archie H. Ormond, Pres.

U. M. Janifer, Sec'y.